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5 June 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

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SUBJECT: Approval of [REDACTED] Shot

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1. [REDACTED] called this date and said that in a conference with [REDACTED] this afternoon that approval to launch the [REDACTED] shot on 6 June had been granted by Mr. Bundy. [REDACTED] indicated that this had been previously discussed and in view of the fact that the President should be back in the country he saw no objection to the [REDACTED] launch. [REDACTED] said that the CORONA shot for the 13th was also discussed; however, he would check back on 8 June for final confirmation. No black book was required at this time by [REDACTED]

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2. Later, [REDACTED] called and said that he had talked again to [REDACTED] who stated that CORONA and [REDACTED] were on the schedule and that he was sure CORONA would be approved. However, he would check it out with Mr. Bundy on Thursday and let [REDACTED] know.

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3. Previous approvals for [REDACTED] had been granted by the 5412 Committee in their minutes of 23 March and 11 May.

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[REDACTED]
Acting Chief, DPD-DD/P

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